

THE GAZETTE.

SATURDAY EVENING, JULY 13.

Miscellaneous Items.

The Montreal Gazette says: A wonderful old document at present in Canada, being nothing less than the skin or parchment signed two hundred and thirty years ago by the Scotch people, and known as the "National Covenant of Scotland." The substance of the deed is written in a firm, beautiful hand, almost unique in its kind; the signatures of the noblemen (including the famous Montrose) and many of the others are very distinct, as also are those obliterated in the blood of their subscribers; while the whole parchment is in a good state of preservation.

Never were the streets of London so thoroughly cleared of stray dogs as at the present time. The police, it is said, secured several thousands by means of offering rewards of 3d and 6d to boys for bringing all strayed dogs to the stations. In some cases the dogs were identified by the owners, who, not having taken out a dog license, were served with summonses to the police court, being liable to a penalty of 25.

Ferdinand Freilgrath, one of the most honored of the German poets, has returned to Cologne after an exile of eighteen years. A large number of his friends and admirers received him, and a magnificent banquet was given in his honor. After the dinner the poet was presented with a splendid silver goblet.

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The subscribers having associated themselves

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counties, are prepared to offer to purchasers a

number of farms, containing from 200 to 1000 acres,

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Parties desiring to locate in this State, will do

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Will attend the depot at Gainesville, and at

Buckland daily, and be prepared to take care

of and show parties the property we offer.

This immediate vicinity affords great inducements

in the way of rail and turnpike roads to the

markets of Alexandria, Georgetown and

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to 8 miles from Warrenton, on the Orange and

Alexandria R. R., the county seat of Fauquier.

No section of the State possesses greater

advantages for grazing, fruit culture and farm-

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to place in the above market daily the surplus

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Flour and grists mills are numerous. At

Buckland, 5 miles from Gainesville, a large

woollen factory is in successful operation, af-

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Good accommodations for first and second-

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First Class.....\$95, in gold

Second Class.....50, " "

(Wine included)

For passage apply to the Captain on board, at

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Tuition for day pupils,.....25

Music on Piano.....25

One-half payable at the beginning, the re-

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The course of instruction embraces the usual

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NITRO-PHOSPHATE OF LIME. We offer this Phosphate confidently as being as good, if not superior, to any ever made or sold in this market, containing a larger amount of soluble Phosphate and Ammonia than usual in Superphosphates. For permanent, as well as for immediate powerful effect upon land, it has no equal.

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Trains will leave the A. L. & M. depot on

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Tickets for a lady and gentleman, \$1. Single

Tickets 50c; Children under twelve years of

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Refreshments furnished by Mr. Carlin.

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Ash Coal and one cargo of WHITE ASH

COAL, stove size, cheaper than ever.

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